FISCAL UPDATE Article

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END OF SESSION — SF 2163 — LIGHTING DEVICES OR REFLECTORS ON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES OR EQUIPMENT USED FOR SNOW AND ICE TREATMENT OR REMOVAL

Description. Senate File 2163 repeals language in Iowa Code section 321.423 that sunsets the provisions for the pilot program that permits the Department of Transportation (DOT) to install rear-facing blue and white lights on snow removal equipment.

Fiscal Impact. Installation of the lights on the remaining snow removal equipment is expected to cost the Highway Division of the DOT \$335,000 in FY 2019. The DOT will fund the installation through existing appropriations to the Division. The Highway Division is funded by appropriations from the Primary Road Fund.

Enactment Date. This Act was approved by the General Assembly on February 26, 2018, and signed by the Governor on March 7, 2018.

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